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3 YEARS FOR ARSON

W. H. KIPHART PLEADS GUILTY TO SETTING FIRE TO BURCH HOME.

JURY ACQUITS EMBREE

Court This Afternoon Hears Case Against Gene Haddon, Charged with Violating Liquor Law.

William H. Kiphart pleaded guilty to a charge of arson in circuit court this morning and was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary by Judge Dawson. Kiphart was charged with setting fire to the home of John Burch, a farmer living near Pickering. Coal oil was used to start the fire, but the blaze was discovered before a great amount of damage had been done. Kiphart was a son-in-law of the Burches and was separated from his wife, who was living with her parents when the fire occurred.

A jury yesterday afternoon returned a verdict in favor of Brint R. Embree, a farmer living two and one-half miles southwest of town, charged with maliciously wounding an animal. Embree shot and wounded a steer belonging to a neighbor, Chas. Wells, the animal having repeatedly visited his corn field.

Albert Gill, charged with grand larceny in the theft of a tarpaulin was allowed to plead guilty to a charge of petit larceny and was given a sentence of ten months in jail and was fined $100.

This afternoon the court is occupied with the trial of Gene Hadden, charged with violating the local option law.

PLAN FALL FESTIVAL HERE

Redpath-Horner Representatives Will Undertake to Place Five-Day Course of Attractions.

Representatives of the Redpath-Horner lyceum attractions are here this week in the interest of a fall festival to be given the week of November 2, the festival to last five days with a different attraction each night and one matinee. So encouraged are the young women who will arrange the course, that they will begin at once on a canvass for the sale of season tickets, a certain sum being necessary to insure the festival.

The attractions included in the five days course are: Plymouth Singing Party; Everett Kemp, monologist; The Ridgeway's Young Ladies Quartette; Jane Dillon, reader; "Little Women" with a cast of thirteen New York players and Lieut. Robert Bowman, direct from the trenches. The numbers are of more than ordinary merit and Maryville patrons of high class amusement will be fortunate to secure them. The young women here in the interest of the festival are Misses E. G. Freeman and Virginia Koogle. Robert L. Finch, former pastor of the Christian church, now representing the Redpath-Horner bureau, is also aiding in plans for the festival.

LIVE STOCK BRINGS $10,000

J. B. Robinson and Ray Bros., Public Auction Yesterday Attracts Large Crowd.

J. B. Robinson and Ray Brothers held their live stock sale yesterday at the Platte Valley farm, selling at auction one hundred head of cattle and thirty mules. The total receipts from the stock amounted to $10,000. A large crowd of buyers and speculators attended the sale from Maryville, Stanberry, Burlington Junction, Clyde and Iowa points. R. P. Hosmer handled the event in a most efficient manner, disposing of the offerings in record time.

Dr. Jesse Miller returned Wednesday night from a few days business trip to St. Louis and Jefferson City.

Frank Boring, Richard Hankins and Ernest Grimsley of Quitman are on a business trip to Maryville today.

M. H. S. PLAYS CHILLICOTHE

Team Expects to Make Better Showing This Afternoon at Livingston County Capital.

Two football games in which local teams are contestants will be on the boards for the fans this afternoon, the Normal-Graceland College game and the Maryville Highs against the Chillicothe team on the latter's grounds. The High school eleven in charge of Coach L. J. Schultz, left this morning for the game at Chillicothe with the following players in the lineup:

Ed McPherron, center; Bennett French and Pearl Lawson, guards; Chester Lyle and Lynn Auten, tackles; Loren Egley and Joseph Kemp, ends; Claude Pierpoint, quarterback; Floyd Foreman and Ralph Wray, halfbacks; Paul Pickens, fullback. The substitutes who will make the trip are Paul Fisher, guard and tackle; Shane King, ends and center, and Paul Miller, backfield.

Since their defeat by Stanberry, last week, the Highs have been doing some strenuous work in efforts to mend the weak places and to strengthen their offensive. It is believed they will make a better showing in their second game of the season this afternoon.

There is not much advance dope on Chillicothe, except that the team is light and fast and is being handled by Fred Lewis, formerly of Maryville. Last year Chillicothe played the Highs here on Thanksgiving, the game being tied with a 6-6 score.

A BIG ANGUS SALE MONDAY

C. D. and E. F. Caldwell Will Dispose of 55 Head, Including Some Imported Animals.

The fourth annual Aberdeen-Angus sale of C. D. & E. F. Caldwell will be held at their Angus farm north of Burlington Junction next Monday. Forty-seven cows and heifers and eight bulls will be sold, including some imported animals.

Workmen have been busy several days preparing for the sale and a record crowd is expected. Cols. Fred Ruppert of Decautur, Ind., Carry M. Jones of Chicago and W. H. Cooper of Hendrick, Iowa, will auctioneer the sale. R. J. Johnson, the capable herdsman, has the sale cattle in excellent condition and this should be the most successful sale ever held by the Caldwells.

The sale will begin promptly at 1 o'clock and will be held under cover.

A BIG STRIKE THREATENS

East Hears That Railroad Employees Will Soon Make Demand For Increased Wages.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, Oct. 12.—New labor troubles today have almost the entire east and the port of New York City in their grip. There are grave possibilities of a railroad strike effective east of Chicago and north of the Potomac river, with a complete tieup of the port of New York threatened. Through a demand for wage increases railroad managers have received unofficial information that the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and the Order of Railway Conductors are planning to ask an increase in the near future. It is also heard that the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, and the Brotherhood of Firemen are planning to make similar demands later. Should these result in strikes being called, all traffic east of Chicago north of the Potomac river will be tied up. Newark, N. J., where four million dollar ship yards are being built by the government also faces trouble.

Rob Missouri Bank of $3,000.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Santa Rosa, Mo., Oct. 12.—Five men blew the safe of the Santa Rosa bank here this morning and escaped with $3,000. A posse is in pursuit of the robbers.

Reichstag Still "Up In the Air."

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Amsterdam, Oct. 12.—Again the German Reichstag has adjourned leaving the peace situation "up in the air."

I.O.O.F. AT QUITMAN

TEN LODGES WERE REPRESENTED AT QUARTERLY MEETING.

CUP TO DAWSON LODGE

Won Over Wilcox For Largest Per Cent of Members Present—Next Meeting at Hopkins, Jan. 10.

The quarterly meeting of the Nodaway County association of Odd Fellows at Quitman yesterday evening was one of the most interesting gatherings that body has ever held, nearly two hundred members from nine lodges being in attendance. There is strong rivalry among the lodges for attendance records and Dawson lodge last night surprised the meeting with seventeen out of twenty-two resident members present. Wilcox was a close second with thirty-four out of forty-eight resident members present, losing the silver cup by seven per cent.

Edward Bird of Kansas City, past grand master, made the principal address at the meeting and was followed by Rev. S. D. Harlan of Graham. The social session was held at the Christian church, where the ladies of the church served supper that was voted worth going miles to partake of. The business session of the association was held in the hall where work in the second and third degrees was given, several candidates being present for the initiations. An all-star degree team put on the work.

The next quarterly meeting will be held at Hopkins on January 10. C. B. Woods, of Hopkins, was named president, Noah Sipes of Maryville vice-president, Ray Strickler of Skidmore treasurer and Rev S. D. Harlan of Graham, chaplain. The meeting at Quitman last night was the fourth since the county association was formed a year ago, other meetings having been held at Maryville, Graham and Barnard. Lodges at Skidmore, Barnard, Burlington Junction, Elmo, Hopkins, Pickering, Maryville, Ravenwood and Graham were represented.

Jacob B. Moore, Noah Sipes and George Davis were delegates representing the Maryville lodge, being accompanied by Chester Bennett, Dr. Karl Malotte, Bert Harrison and John Touhey.

ENOUGH COAL, DEALERS SAY

While Shipments From Mines Are Slow, There Is No Present Indication of Shortage.

With the drop in temperature last night housekeepers whose coal bins have not been supplied for the winter began to hustle about this morning in search of coal. Local dealers were able to meet the demand and there seems to be no particular indication the Maryville will suffer from a fuel shortage this winter.

Dealers say that while coal is slow coming from the mines, due to the compulsory order by the government that railroads must be kept running, and the desire to see that all dealers have as near a normal supply as possible, that there will be enough to meet all demands. Many persons took occasion to lay in a winter's supply during the past summer and this has served to relieve the situation in a large measure. No large orders are being filled, dealers say, but they are endeavoring to see that no one goes without, sending a load as necessity requires. Illinois and Iowa mines furnish the bulk of the coal sold here.

THE WALNUT CROP IS GOOD

But Owners of Groves Prefer to Gather Them Rather Than to Give Them Away.

Just another good frost or two and the walnuts will begin to fall from the trees, and the walnut crop this year is going to be a good one. Most of the trees in this section are well filled, but nutting parties are not going to have much fun this year, for owners of walnut groves have them posted against hunters, preferring to gather the nuts themselves and sell them. The hickory nut crop this year will not be large and few nuts are to be found on trees. What few there are are of good quality.

Hazel brush patches are being sought this year and where there is any brush at all, pickers report the yield good. Pawpaws and persimmons are ripening and will soon be on the market.

BANKS SUBSCRIBE

COUNTY INSTITUTIONS TAKE WAR BONDS FOR $101,000.

A PUBLICITY CAMPAIGN

Efforts Will Be Made to Interest the Farmers in Buying—Committee Works on Detailed Plans.

With an initial subscription of $101,000 to the second Liberty Loan issue of war bonds, the campaign to raise Nodaway county's apportionment is under way. This sum will be subscribed by the banks of the county, representatives of the institutions agreeing at the meeting yesterday at the Elks Club, to subscribe for at least ten per cent of their capital stock and surplus. The combined capital including surplus of the twenty-one banks is $1,100,000.

The organization effected at yesterday's meeting was made permanent and will be known as the Nodaway County Bankers' association with meetings to be held four times a year. Jos. Jackson, Jr., of the First National Bank, of Maryville, and G. Robb Ellison, of the Farmers Trust Company were named as the other two members of the executive committee, Geo. B. Baker, of the Real Estate Bank, Ed C. Donlin, of the Bank of Hopkins and F. H. Casteel, of the Platte Valley Bank at Ravenwood having already been chosen.

An informal meeting of the executive committee was held yesterday afternoon when preliminary plans were made for interesting the people of the county in the big war loan. A publicity campaign will be carried on through the county press and individual work will be done among those who are able to buy bonds.

It is hoped to interest the farmers in the bonds, it being pointed out that because of increased prices for crops that will be had this year over previous years, the farmers will be in possession of excess profits, and at no loss to themselves can well afford to invest their surplus moneys in the cause for which this country is at war.

Another meeting of the committee will be held in a day or two following requests for literature and advices from the board of the Missouri district.

GETTING "HARD AS ROCKS"

F. G. Rusk Writes From "Somewhere in France," of Life in the American Army.

Raymond Shroyer of Maryville has received a letter from F. G. Rusk, with the American Expeditionary Forces, from "Somewhere in France." Rusk, who is now a member of Co. L, 18th U. S. Inf., enlisted here in April and was at once sent to France. The letter in part follows:

"Had intended writing before but there are many things that I can do better than writing a letter, especially from here, as we are not allowed to say anything relative to military affairs. Would like to have you here and show you some of the French system for threshing grain. I will tell you all about it if I ever get across the big pond again. That was a great trip to me in some ways. Had fine weather to sail with exception of a few days that were cold. But I think one more ocean voyage is all that I will care if that ends up in the states. We are busy most every day and getting as hard as rocks. This outdoor life is fine and I enjoy it and keep feeling fine all the time. Well, news is scarce so will ring off this time."

G. DUNKELMAN
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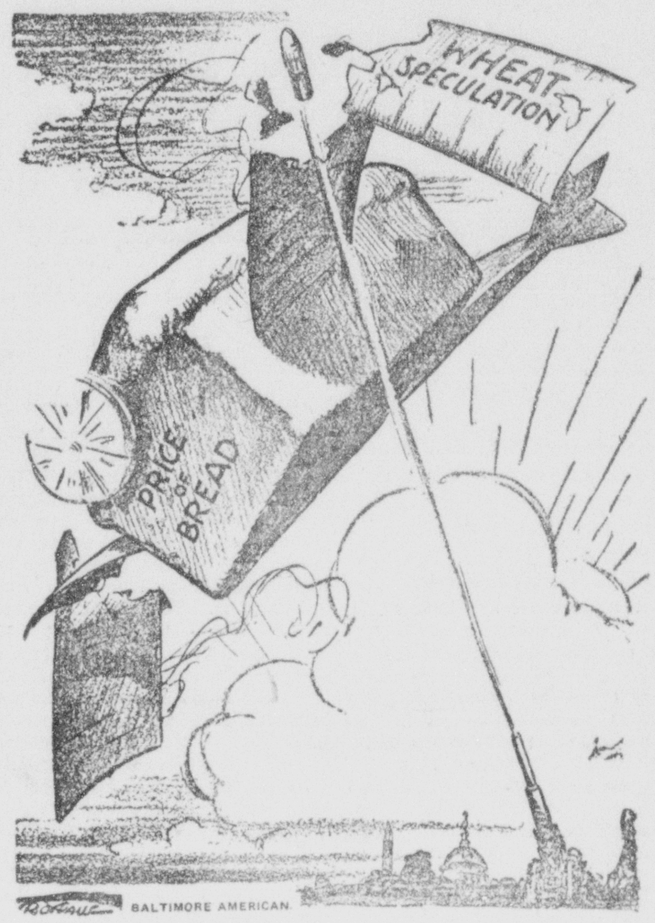
TO THE MEMBERS OF NODAWAY COUNTY CHAPTER AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS.

By order of the executive committee of said chapter, you are hereby notified that the annual meeting of said chapter will be held at Maryville, Mo., Wednesday, October 17, 1917, at seven o'clock p. m. in the County Court room at Court House.

All members are requested to be present.

NODAWAY COUNTY CHAPTER,
F. P. Robinson, Secretary.

CLIPPING ITS WINGS



THEIR SWEETHEARTS 10 YEARS OLD TODAY

CUPID'S MAIL FROM CAMP FUNSTON IS HEAVY.

BOYS EAGER FOR NEWS

Cecil Wilson and Warren Reaksecker Find Camp and Army Life Is Quite to Their Liking.

That the Nodaway boys at Camp Funston are eager to get letters and papers from home is indicated in the following letter from John C. Wilson, a member of the third contingent. Wilson writes the Democrat-Forum as follows:

"Camp Funston, Oct. 8.—We arrived in camp all O K and like it fine as far as we have gone. Am getting my three meals a day and eat them with a great deal of pleasure. It is somewhat hard for a new man to get onto the ways here, but once or twice at mess and he soon gets the idea. We all line up in single file and pass by the cook and his shift, putting whatever we have to eat in our own mess kits. If we want any more we go back to the end of the line and come back to the cook again.

"We drill every day from about 7:15 in the morning until 11:15, then return from the field for mess at 12 o'clock, then out at 1 and drill until 4:30, when our day's work is through. Most of the time you can see the boys go to their bunks and get out writing material and letters are soon being written to parents, friends and sweethearts—mostly sweethearts. There is some kind of program most every evening at the Y. M. C. A., and all is free for the soldiers or boys that will some day be soldiers—perhaps it would sound better that way. Well, as it is getting late and we must be in bed at 9:30 p. m., I will close, hoping everybody at Maryville is well. I remain,

Private John C. Wilson, Co. I, 356th Infantry, Camp Funston, Kan."

"P. S.—Don't forget to send me the paper. I got the ones dated 4 and 5, and the boys nearly tore them to pieces getting them to read. They are just like getting letters from home. I haven't got to read both of them yet."

Warren Reaksecker Writes.

"Camp Funston, Oct. 7.—Democrat-Forum: Just a few lines for the paper. We arrived at camp about 3:30 a. m., the 4th of October and the first thing we got was a cold shower bath and then to bed, but no sleep as it was already morning. Four of the boys went to the machine gun company, thirty-six to Company I, 356th infantry and thirty-seven to Company L 356th infantry.

"Arch Carter was at the train when we arrived. He does not look as though camp life was hurting him. "Irish"—that's O'Grady—is looking good, as is Omer Fisher, but he has

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8,000 VISITORS CAME

CORNERSTONE OF NORMAL WAS LAID OCTOBER 12, 1907.

Governor Folk and A. M. Dockery Were Among Speakers—Day Was Cold and Bright—Town Decorated.

Just ten years ago today the cornerstone of the Maryville Normal school was laid with impressive ceremonies and with a great gathering of people from all over Northwest Missouri, together with men of prominence in official circles. No formal celeration of the anniversary is being attempted at the Normal today, for the reason that President Richardson says the date was not called to his attention today in time to prepare for any ceremonial.

The following extract from the files of the Democrat-Forum of ten year ago concerning the event is of interest:

"It proved a great day for Maryville. The city government had the streets swept clean as a ball room floor, and the city generally was a picture of cleanliness. Almost every building and every window was decorated in red and white, ideal colors for a sunny day. Visitors from a distance remarked time and time again on the beauty of the city while the residents declared that never before did the "old town" look more inviting and metropolitan."

Governor Folk and former governor A. M. Dockery were among the speakers. The weather was about like the weather today, chilly and bright with a crowd that was estimated at 8,000 persons.

Kaiser Warns His Sailors.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Copenhagen, Oct. 12.—The Kaiser has issued a proclamation to the German fleet warning the sailors of dire penalties in case there should be any further mutinous outbreaks.

Admiral Mayo Back Home.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Oct. 12.—Admiral Mayo comander of the Atlantic fleet and staff arrived at an Atlantic port from England today, the navy department announced.

HAIG SCORES AGAIN

MASTER STROKE PUTS BRITISH IN CONTROL OF FAMOUS RIDGE.

ELEMENTS DO NOT HALT

Rain, Mud Nor Shell Fire Could Not Stay the Ardor of Troops—German Grip is Being Broken.

Special to The Democrat-Forum

London, Oct. 12.—Without giving the Germans time to get their breath from his furious drive of Tuesday, Field Marshal Haig delivered another master stroke on the west Flanders front today and the British swept forward to a new victory northeast of Ypres, completing their conquest of the famous Passchendaele Ridge. The breaking of the German grip upon the Belgium coast, wherein they maintain important submarine bases, looms nearer than ever today.

Mud, rain nor shell fire could quell the ardor of the British forces, who hurled themselves on the Germans with an impetuosity that soon put them in possession of important positions over a front of about six miles. This is the sixth great and successful drive in the battle at Flanders since August 1.

Monster howitzers along the Anglo-French front west of Flanders are pounding the German positions over a wide front north and east of Ypres. All the new British and French positions that were won Tuesday have been consolidated.

The stormy weather continues with heavy rainstorms adding to the mud that has already made the battlefield one vast quagmire. Experts are predicting that Field Marshal Haig is getting ready for another new drive and the Germans are nervous. All night they kept firing star shells into the sky, lighting up the fore field so that no sudden attack could be undertaken against them.

PIERSOL IN OWN DEFENSE

Alleged "Brains" of Keet Kidnapping Ring Will Be Last Witness This Afternoon.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Marshfield, Mo., Oct. 12.—Claude Piersol, the alleged "brains" of the Keet kidnapping ring, will take the stand in his own defense as the last witness, this afternoon the defense announced.

When the prosecution rested at 6 o'clock last night it seemed as though a small "f" would be one of the deciding factors in the trial.

G. V. F. Meechin, writing expert of St. Louis, and Dr. Marshall D. Ewell, microscopical and writing authority of Chicago, testified in their opinion the two letters Piersol wrote to Taylor Adams in Kansas City, the so-called ransom letters written to J. Holland Keet and the words Piersol wrote in St. Louis at the suggestion of Chief of Detectives Allender, were all written by the same person.

ANTI-DRAFTERS ARE INDICTED

Federal Grand Jury at Leavenworth Returns Bills Against Eight For Conspiracy.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Leavenworth, Kan., Oct. 12.—Raymond I. Moore, his wife, Earl Browder of Kansas City, Dr. Eva Harding, former candidate for Congress, Ernest Newman, Ike Gilberg of Topeka, and Geo. W. Kleighege, of Fort Scott, have been indicted by the federal grand jury here, charged with conspiracy to defeat the draft law. Speeches were made by the persons indicated at an anti-draft meeting at Topeka, May 17. The penalty for the offense may be imprisonment for three years and a fine of $10,000, or both.

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*** THE WEATHER**
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Fair and continued cold tonight; Saturday fair and warmer.

Won't You Help—

The Ladies of the SURGICAL DRESSING UNITS having arranged a concert *SUNDAY AFTERNOON AT THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH*—Maryville's best talent will take part—and the money received will be used to make up Christmas boxes for Maryville's soldier boys.

Come and Bring Your Offering—
You'll Get Your Money's Worth

Feature Tonight
Empire Theatre
10 and 15 cents

Art Drama Pictures, with
VIOLET DANA
The Charming Little Star in
Rosie O'Grady
A thrilling romance of the east side.

Tomorrow—"Pride and the Devil"

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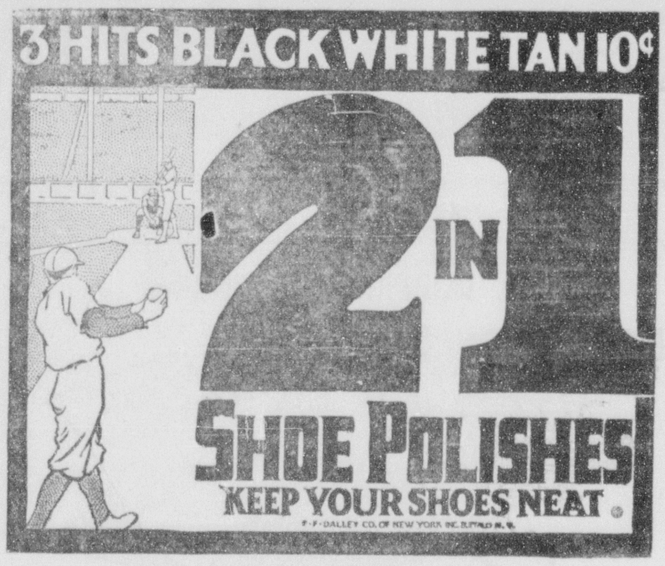
MEMBER MISSOURI PRESS ASSOCIATION

State Insurance Writers Meet.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

St. Louis, Oct. 12.—Three hundred insurance agents from all parts of the United States are here attending joint conventions. The National association of Insurance Agents is meeting in conjunction with the Fire Underwriters' association of St. Louis and Missouri. The National Council of Insurance Federations and the National association of Casualty and Surety Agents also are holding meetings at the convention.



100,000 CATTLE TO MARKET

The Kansas City Stock Yards Holds World's Record For Number Sent In In One Week.

This week will give the Kansas City stock yards the world's record for the largest number of cattle ever marketed in one week, says yesterday's Kansas City Star. The week's total supply will be close to 100,000 cattle, and 10,000 calves. In four days receipts were about 95,000 cattle and 9,200 calves. Normal arrivals in the next two days will make a world's record for the week.

The largest supply ever previously received in a week in Kansas City was 95,298 cattle and 7,981 calves in the week ending September 6, 1913.

In the week ending September 19, 1891, receipts of cattle in Chicago were 95,524, and that number has stood as a world's record for one week's supply at any market until this week.

Obituary—Leslie Dean Icke.

Leslie Dean Icke, only child of S. M. Icke and wife, was born September 27, 1917, and departed this life October 3, 1917, aged 6 days. Though his little life was brief it was full of suffering and all that medical aid and kinds friends could do for him was done, but God in his great wisdom thought best to take the little flower that had only just budded on earth, to blossom in Heaven.

In the afternoon of October 4, at 2:30 o'clock a short service was held at the home of Rev. W. A. Chapman of Barnard, after which the little form was laid to rest in the Pleasant Grove cemetery.

Besides the bereaved parents there are left to mourn its loss a number of uncles, aunts and cousins ,and aged grandparents on each side.—Barnard Bulletin.

Pickering Circuit M. E. Church.

The prayer meetings held each night this week have proved very helpful to all who have attended. While the attendance has not been large it has steadily increased and we have no room for complaint. Next Sunday the pastor will preach at Myrtle Tree at 11 o'clock a. m., and Pickering at 7:30 o'clock p. m. The revival services will be held each evening at 7:30 o'clock until further notice. We are very glad to announce Rev. Gilbert S. Cox of Maryville, will preach for us Monday night and will also sing a solo. Rev. H. McNamee of Hopkins will also be with us part of next week.

We cordially invite all who can do so, to come with us each night during the meetings.—C. S. Dayhoff, pastor.

Left For Her Home.

Mrs. John Freeman of Bartlesville, Okla., who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Crooke, left this morning for her home. Mrs. Freeman was accompanied to Kansas City by Mrs. Crooke, and there they will visit for a few days.

To Cash Register Convention.

Mrs. D. E. Mills of St. Joseph, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. J. V. Embree, will leave tonight for Dayton, Ohio, to attend the women's convention of the National Cash Register Co., which convenes October 15. Mrs. Mills is department store instructor for the company, and will go to Pittsburgh, Pa., on a business trip before returning to Maryville.

OBJECT TO BLACKS AT CAMP

Funston Residents Protest Against Negroes Being Quartered There —Petitions to Washington.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Camp Funston, Kan., Oct. 12.—Residents near the camp are indignant over the government's recent move ordering 2,300 Mississippi negroes here for training. Negroes supposed to come here from seven states would make a total of 12,000 blacks in camp, about 25 per cent of the soldier body here.

Petitions are being circulated today protesting against the training of negro troops here and will be sent to Washington.

It is pointed out the negroes will have to live in barracks which will not be heated for another month or six weeks and when the thermometer hovers around the zero mark it will mean widspread suffering and perhaps death to many of the Southern negroes.

No provisions have been made for the care of negro troops in any of the surrounding towns and there is no negro district near here where they can seek companionship, the people say.

CUBA'S GIFT TO FRANCE

Will Equip a 100-Bed Hospital to be Financed From A Fund of A Million Dollars.

Havana, Oct. 12.—The Cuban Red Cross society of which Mme. Mariana Menocal, wife of the President of Cuba, is chairman, has begun the work of equipping a 100-bed hospital unit, manned by a staff of Cuban physicians and nurses, for active service on the western front in France. This enterprise, which will reach completion at an early date is to be financed by a fund of $1,000,000 which Cuban women prominent in society here have set themselves out to raise.

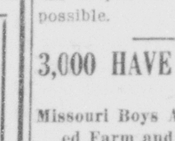
Announcement of the ambitious plans of the Cuban Red Cross followed a special meeting, this week in the Presidential Palace here, presided over by the wife of the President and attended by all the Cuban Red Cross directors and representatives of various Government departments and the Cuban press. It is realized that the work of equipping such a pretentious hospital unit will be regarded as an ambitious one, even from standards set in the present war, but the encouragement the Red Cross has received from capitalists throughout the island republic and the progress made in assembling of equipment and the training of volunteer workers indicate that ere the fund has been completed the unit will be ready for service. Co-operation, which was recently inaugurated between the Cuban and American Red Cross officials has helped to make this Cuban unit possible.

3,000 HAVE TAKEN COURSE

Missouri Boys Are Learning Improved Farm and Agricultural Methods at State University.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Columbia, Mo., Oct. 12.—Nearly 3,000 Missouri farm boys have taken the short course in agriculture since it was established 22 years ago at the University of Missouri here. Every county in the state and many surrounding states have graduates of this practical course and it is estimated that the cost, which averages only about $52 a year, is really an investment of from 20 to 250 per cent. The course may be completed in two years of two terms each. The first term begins November 1, the second January 3.



OLD LOOKS

(By Dr. N. B. Cook.)

Persons suffering from too much uric acid in the system frequently look older than they should. They age faster and the appearance of gray hair or baldhead in early years is, indeed, often a sign of uric acid. The face appears lean and haggard, lines and wrinkles appearing in young men or women.

The best way to combat this premature age and the obstruction to the arteries and faulty circulation is of the simplest. Drink copiously of pure water between meals. Obtain at any drug store a small package of Anuric which is to be taken before meals, in order to expel the uric acid from the system. The painful effects of backache, lumbago, rheumatism, gout, due to uric acid in the blood should quickly disappear after treatment with Anuric.

WELL KNOWN WOMAN

Kansas City, Mo.—"Dr. Pierce's 'Favorite Prescription' is an exceptionally wonderful tonic for the prospective mother as I know by actual personal experience. Four of my children were 'Pierce' babies and they were stronger and healthier than my first babies (before I knew of 'Favorite Prescription.')

"My husband always praised the 'Golden Medical Discovery.' He overstrained at his work and was in constant pain and distress. He could neither lie down nor get up by himself. After he started to take the 'Discovery' he improved greatly and in less than two months was perfectly well and strong again."—Mrs. Carrie Ireland, 2128 Bellefontaine Ave.

TO PUBLISH PRICES DAILY

Chicago Grocers Evolve Plan to Prevent Housewives From Being Overcharged.

Chicago, Oct. 12.—One glance at a morning newspaper and the Chicago housewife will know how much her groceries for the day are going to cost, but she will have to order early or carry her provisions home herself.

Acting with State Food Administrator Wheeler, retail grocers here have evolved a plan of publishing daily a list of prices as a safeguard against overcharging. The prices are to be fixed by a committee of three, representing the federal food administration, the wholesale grocers and the retailers. The wholesale price will be established first and an agreed margin of profit for the retailer added.

One delivery a day will be the rule.

TO ADVERTISE CALUMET.

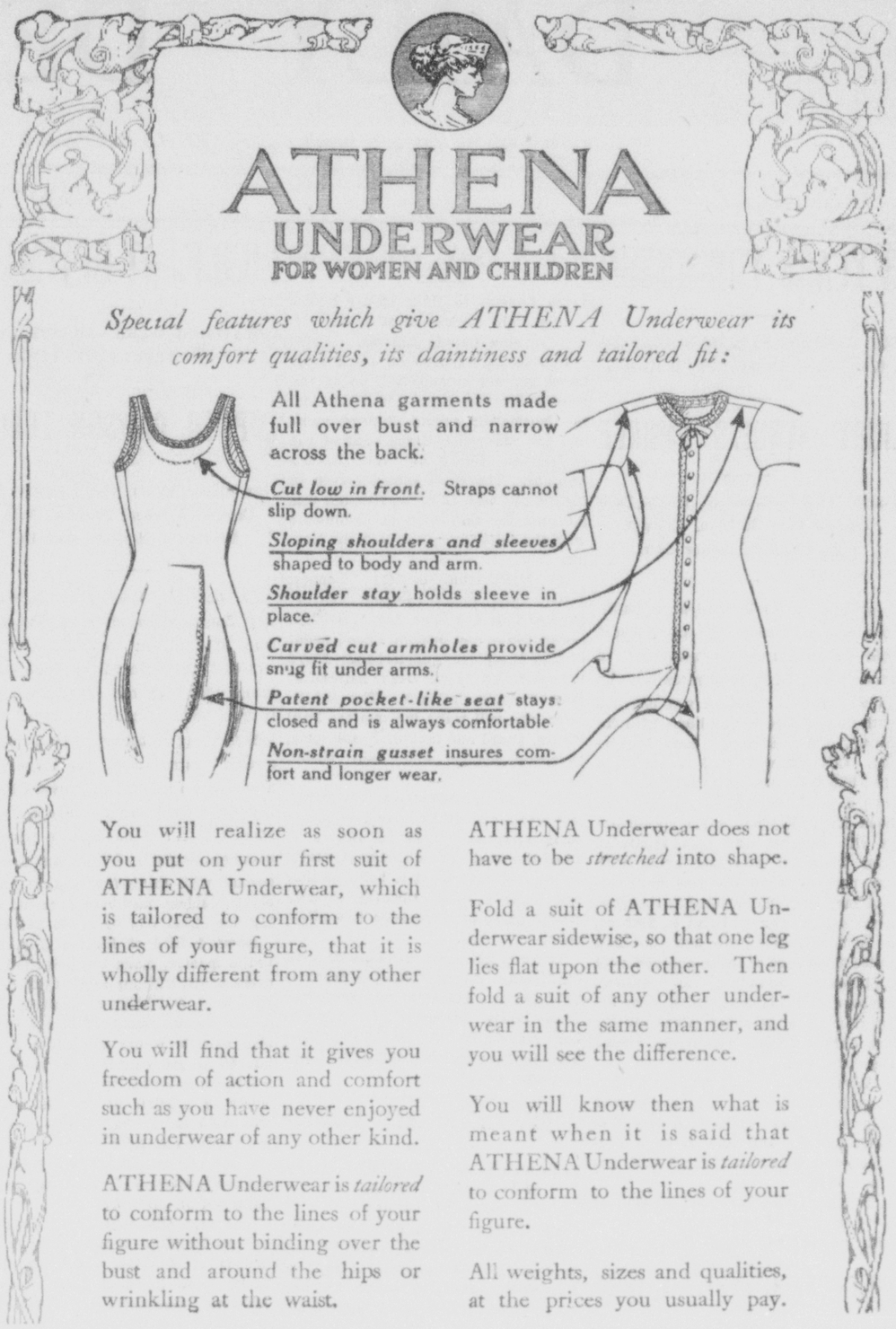
J. G. Crane and Staff Here to Demonstrate Baking Powder's Qualities.

J. G. Crane and a staff of assistants arrived in Maryville today and will start a campaign for Calumet baking powder. Similar campaigns have been carried on in Brookfield, Chillicothe and Trenton, with splendid results. The crew is thoroughly versed in the uses of baking powder and many demonstrations will be made while they are in the city.

The Calumet people realize the value of good newspaper advertising and have taken a good contract with the Democrat-Forum for the coming campaign.

Mrs. A. C. Simmons, Mrs. C. G. Swinford, Jr., Mrs. L. L. Hood, Mrs. Ernest Swinford, and Miss Ethel Swinford of Pickering are shopping in Maryville today.

Mrs. Charley Smith and children of Sidney, Ia., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Watts of Maryville.


ATHENA
UNDERWEAR
FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN
Special features which give ATHENA Underwear its comfort qualities, its daintiness and tailored fit:
All Athena garments made full over bust and narrow across the back.
Cut low in front. Straps cannot slip down.
Sloping shoulders and sleeves shaped to body and arm.
Shoulder stay holds sleeve in place.
Curved cut armholes provide snug fit under arms.
Patent pocket-like seat stays closed and is always comfortable
Non-strain gusset insures comfort and longer wear.
You will realize as soon as you put on your first suit of ATHENA Underwear, which is tailored to conform to the lines of your figure, that it is wholly different from any other underwear.
You will find that it gives you freedom of action and comfort such as you have never enjoyed in underwear of any other kind.
ATHENA Underwear is tailored to conform to the lines of your figure without binding over the bust and around the hips or wrinkling at the waist.
ATHENA Underwear does not have to be stretched into shape.
Fold a suit of ATHENA Underwear sidewise, so that one leg lies flat upon the other. Then fold a suit of any other underwear in the same manner, and you will see the difference.
You will know then what is meant when it is said that ATHENA Underwear is tailored to conform to the lines of your figure.
All weights, sizes and qualities, at the prices you usually pay.

Haines

THE STORE QUALITY AND LOW PRICES BUILT

THEIR SWEETHEARTS

(Continued from page 1.-

not got anything on some of the boys down here when it comes to height. We do not get out of camp as we have not been issued complete uniforms yet.

"I wish to thank the ladies for the comfort kit and that lunch we took with us was sure some lunch. I met Harry Keunster, a former Maryville boy. He is from Denver and came in two weeks ago.

Yours sincerely,

Warren W. Reaksecker, Co. L, 356th Infantry, Camp Funston, Kan."

E. H. McCall of Harmony is in Maryville on business today.

DR. W. W. TURNER

OSTEOPATH

Treatment of bowel, liver and nervous diseases a specialty.

Office over Alderman-Yehle Store

Both Phones.

Mrs. Frank Reavis and two children who have been visiting friends in Jameson, will return to Maryville tonight.

Mrs. L. W. Vanscoy and children of Bedison, were in Maryville today.

REMOVED—
to the rooms formerly occupied by Dr. Braniger, over Townsends.
Chas. E. Stilwell.

WATCH YOUR EYE-SIGHT

EYES EXAMINED FREE

Our expert graduate Optometrist will diagnose your eye troubles and tell you what you need. The service is free at

KUCHS BROTHERS

222 N. Main Street

CONSULTATION, EXAMINATION AND TREATMENT

FREE

J. E. Carpenter, "The Kodak Specialist"

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OPEN YOUR SAVINGS ACCOUNT NOW

Lay the foundation of your fortune by opening a savings account today. Deposits of one dollar and upwards received in our savings department.

INTEREST PAID TWICE A YEAR.
OLDEST BANK IN THE COUNTY.

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A BANK OF SAVINGS. MARYVILLE, MO.

141 Years of Liberty and Prosperity---Keep it Up---

Mr. Farmer—Mr. Business Man—
Mr. Professional Man—

Buy a Liberty Bond at Once.

We will be glad to take your Application

The Associated Banks

of Maryville, Missouri.

Society and Clubland

By MISS LUTA MOODY.
Hanamo, 42. Farmers, 114

Y. W. H. S. To Meet.

The Young Woman's Missionary society of the First Methodist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred Curfman on West First street.

Celebrate Fifty-Second Birthday.

Sunday being B. A. Jones' fifty-second birthday, his mother thought she would give him a little surprise by asking his brothers and sisters in to spend the day with him. At the noon hour they came in with well filled baskets and of course Ben done his part when he got to the table. Those present were: W. H. Jones and wife, Alva Jones and wife, J. C. Barr and wife, Guy Howell and wife, Guy Shelton and wife, Mrs. E. A. Humphrey and children, Vella and Glenn Humphrey and Dale and Ray Jones, Lela, Lucile and Leroy Howell, Harry, Fred and Clyde Barr, Harry Shelton, Miss Lucy Jones, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Jones and son, John.—Burlington Junction Post.

Meeting of Social Hour Club.

The Social Hour club met Wednesday, October 10, with Mrs. Will Spangler. Roll call was responded to with quotations. Mrs. C. A. Loch and Mrs. Roy McMullen gave readings. The rest of the afternoon was spent socially. The hostess, assisted by Mrs. Myrtle Morris, served a dainty luncheon. The next meeting will be with Mrs. W. P. Scott, October 24. Mrs. Leslie Taylor and daughter, Leola of Maitland and Mrs. Edgar Houston were guests of the club. The members present were: Mrs. Charles Wilson, Mrs. C. A. Loch, Mrs. J. F. Hanna, Mrs. Ernest Stafford, Mrs. Myrtle Morris, Mrs. Theodore Gray, Mrs. Roy McMullen and the hostess.

Thursday Dinner At Hulls.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hull entertained at 6 o'clock dinner last night at their home, north of Maryville. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Homer Brown and Miss Edna Bonewitz, of Maryville, Mrs. W. L. Rugg and the host and hostess.

Iddings Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Iddings of Skidmore entertained at dinner Sunday the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Victor Partridge and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Rosecrans and two children of Hanna City, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Walker Iddings, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Iddings and Misses Agnes Hanley and Eva Francis Iddings.

Surprised Pastor.

On Tuesday evening of this week something like forty-five or fifty of Elder and Mrs. Moore's good friends assembled, unbeknown to them, and went in a body to the parsonage laden with boxes, bags, jars, and cans of fruits and vegetables which, after being admitted, were placed on the table and floor of the dining room.

A pleasant evening was spent in conversation and in looking about the new parsonage that has just lately been occupied by the pastor and his estimable wife.—Skidmore News.

Parnell People Surprised Her.

Last Sunday was Mrs. Arch Martin's birthday so a few of her Parnell friends where she lived before moving to Hopkins, decided to surprise her by coming with well filled baskets filled with everything good heart could ask for, to help celebrate the happy event. It was a complete surprise to Mrs. Martin which made it all the more enjoyable. Those in the party were Mr. and Mrs. Newt Morgan and son, Drexel, Mr. and Mrs. George Felton and son, Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jones and daughter, Pauline, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Kennedy and two sons, John and Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Logan, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Spoonemore and son, Dale, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brett and son, Fred, Miss Belle Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. James LaFavor and Miss Coulter, of Kansas City. Mrs. Martin was presented with a beautiful cut glass marmalade bowl with silver cover and spoon.—Hopkins Journal.

A Birthday Surprise.

A very pleasant surprise took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Graham Sunday, the occasion being Floyd's birthday, and to say he was surprised is putting it mildly. All brought well filled baskets and a bounteous dinner was served. All departed late wishing him many more just such happy birthdays.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bowman, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Vansickle, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Vansickle, Mr. and Mrs. Will Browning, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Castillo, Mr. and Mrs. John Lamar, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Hurst, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Humphrey, Mrs. Dale Russell, Mrs. Glen Hull, Mrs. Bowman, Misses Ethel Abbott, Lillie Browning, Eva, Etta and Inie Spangler, Etta Campbell, Lola and Marie Graves, Wilman and Archie Vansickle, Martha and Stella Hurst, Myrene Castillo, Velma Bowman, Florence Russell, Minnie and Adella Humphrey, Messrs. Miles Abbott, Charles and Floyd Hurst, Monroe Bowman, Glenn Castillo, Jim Andy and Clifford Browning, Donald Lamar, Vincent Lee Humphrey, Charles Bowman, Alvin Abbott, O. B. Humphrey and the host and hostess—Burlington Junction Post.

Ladies Aid Meets.

The Ladies Aid society of the First Methodist church held their regular business meeting yesterday afternoon in the Epworth League parlors of the church. Plans for the bazaar were made. Twenty members were present.

Cabinet Meeting.

The members of the Epworth League cabinet of the Ravenwood Methodist church held a business meeting last night at the home of Miss Fay Bishop. Plans for the year were made. The members present were: Rev. and Mrs. Wetzel, Miss Mattie Bishop, Mrs. L. A. Joy, Fay Bishop and Katie McElvain.

W. O. W. Social.

The Woodmen and Woodmen Circle entertained last night with a social at the W. O. W. hall. Only the members and their families, about fifty in number, were present. A short program was given, and this was followed with games and refreshments of ice cream, cake and coffee. This is the first of the socials which will be given by the W. O. W. and Woodmen Circle.

Ravenwood Sewing Circle.

The Ladies Sewing circle of Ravenwood met yesterday afternoon at the home of Miss Ida Fryar. A business hour was held and plans for the winter were made. The members present were: Mrs. Stella Bentley, Mrs. Mary Sims, Mrs. Myrle Casteel, Miss Blanche Fryar, Miss Agnes Stoneburner, Miss Edith Bentley, Miss Ida Fryar and Mrs. Pauline Wetzel.

Birthday Surprise.

Friends and relatives gathered together Wednesday morning to help T. A. Smith celebrate his sixty-first birthday. Those present were:

Uncle Jim Tudder, O. E. Alexander and wife, Ruel Kinman and wife, Clearmont, E. Honaker and wife, U. G. Bloomfield, wife and daughter, Opal, H. G. Bloomfield, wife and son, R. B. Radford, J. R. Radford and wife, Braddyville, George Colvin and wife, Rev. Ragsdale and wife, Dr. Ferguson and wife, Chauncey Moore, wife and daughter of Parsons, Kan., A. O. Bishop, wife and children of McPherson, Kan., Mansel Howe and wife, Tarkio, Jno. Tudder, wife and babe of Blanchard, Ia., Steve Cobb and wife, F. Graham and wife, F. E. Bowman and wife, John Smith and wife, A. E. Hopper and wife, Jim Barns and family, Mesdames Robert Kinman, Ed Graham, Harve Kinman and sons Calvin and Orr and Dennis Braker.

A delicious dinner was served and all had a jolly good time. The crowd presented Mr. Smith several small gifts, also $12.50 to buy a nice present to suit himself.—Clearmont News.

LETTER TO NODAWAY GIRL

French Soldier Acknowledges Card From Miss Lucile Carter, of Burlington Junction.

Miss Lucile May Carter, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. M. Carter, of Burlington Junction is in receipt of the following letter from a French soldier in the trenches. Miss Carter has taken an active part in Red Cross work. The letter, translated, reads:

August 22, 1917.

Dear Young Lady:

Today, Sunday, I had the delightful surprise to be able to read your kind card. I thank you very much for it and shall be very happy to hear from an American girl again. Of course, as you know, our life is very sad. Every day we risk our lives.

For three years I have been in the trenches. You see by that, that I am an old fighter. I have fought in many battles and up to the present have not been wounded.

Before continuing my letter I am going to describe myself. I am twenty-three years of age, my heighth is 1.75 meters (5ft. 9 in.), quite broad shouldered, my eyes are brown, nose medium.

My family is yet in Belgium, occupied by the Germans. On this account I almost never have any news of them, which gives me great grief. Since the beginning of the war, I have never seen my family, except for my brother who is also in the trenches and with whom I share the little I possess. As we do not have acquaintances, who might in the present circumstances be able to comfort and lessen our miseries, I do what I can for him.

I hope that this letter will find you in good health and that it will please you.

Hoping to hear from you, I wish you to receive this with all my thanks, my good friendship and sincere sympathy,

Henrie Van Cauroeloert.

TO REGULATE BAKERS NEXT

Food Dictator Hoover Plans Municipal Depots If Retailers are Unfair in Demands.

Washington, Oct. 12.—Early regulation of the baking industry is promised by Food Administrator Hoover.

Plans to control the bread production and distribution already are under consideration and will be put into operation as soon as bread baking experiments now being conducted in several cities are completed. Municipal bread depots will be provided, if it is found that retailers cannot be controlled under a voluntary arrangement.

The baking industry was left out of the general food control to be put into effect Nov. 1. Before taking any steps to deal with the industry the food administrator wishes, first, to standardize baking flour; second, to standardize bread ingredients, and third, to standardize either the size of the loaf or the price.

The bread content will be established on the basis of facts disclosed in the experiments under way. It is hoped to establish a standard bread, containing the same amount always of lard, milk, and other ingredients. Flour will be standardized through the co-operation of millers. In further standardization the food administration still is in doubt as to whether it will be best to establish a definite sized loaf or to establish a definite price with the size as a variant.

C. H. Kinman of Elmo has purchased the M. P. Gingrich farm five and one-half miles west of Maryville, for $40,000. Possession will be given March 1. The deal was made through Wallace Brothers Land company.

Rev. T. H. Wiles will preach at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Oak Hill church, three miles east of Maryville.

Mrs. Ray S. Wilfley and small daughter, Naomi, of Steele City, Neb., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Armstrong, and Mr. Wilfley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Wilfley.

No More 5 Cent Loaves?

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 12.—The nickel loaf of bread is gone—gone forever.

This is the opinion of J. C. Rodenberg, a leading baker here. Rodenberg recently returned from a national convention of bakers in Chicago. He said he was supplemented in his belief by nearly every delegate in attendance.

"If flour should become slightly cheaper, there would be an increase in the size of the loaf, but not a reduction in price," Mr. Rodenberg declares.

Among the out-of-town people in Maryville today are: L. A. Nye, Hopkins, Charley Alexander, Pickering, and T. L. Howden of St. Joseph.

Mrs. W. F. Cooper of Perkins, Okla., and Miss Ella Ballenger of Maryville, who have been visiting in Barnard with Mrs. C. E. Baker and in Rea with Mrs. Paul B. Fisher, returned last night to the home of Miss Ballenger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ballenger.

Eldon Irvin went to New Hampton today where he will hold a civil service examination tomorrow for postmaster at that town.

Oldsmobile

The comfort, power, body design and coach-work of this Oldsmobile meet every desire of the experienced motorist—at a price several hundred dollars below any comparable value in a motor car.

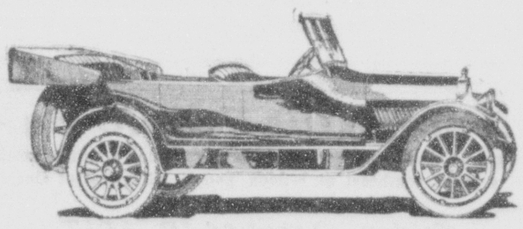
Its comfort is a revelation; the underslung long rear springs combined with the deep, double-tiered springs of the upholstery, give riding unexpected comfort, and ease. Exceptional roominess and carrying capacity of the body come from the economy of space in the use of the compact, V-style motor.

The 8-cylinder motor delivers one horsepower to every 51 pounds of car weight—a ratio so high as to assure more than ample reserve power for every emergency of the road.

Remarkable flexibility, fascinating smoothness of over-lapping power impulses and freedom from vibration—all characteristic of 8-cylinder construction—are perfected to the highest degree. Its quick "get-away" and spirited "pick-up" at any speed, together with elimination of frequent gear shifting, gives Oldsmobile driving a real zest that is devoid of drive strain. Yet the gasoline consumption is unusually low—even as compared with less powerful cars.

Oldsmobile country-wide system of service stations and the generous full year guarantee are added insurance of complete owner satisfaction.

And the price of this car is only $1467, f. o. b. Lansing, Mich.



Oldsmobile Satisfied Customers.

After all, the satisfied customers are the ones which count. Look over this partial list of persons to whom we have sold Oldsmobile cars. Doubtless you will find some in your immediate neighborhood. Just ask them. They'll tell you the merits of the Oldsmobile.

Harold Bellows	Fred Miller
Beal Roseberry	Dr. L. E. Dean
Dr. C. T. Bell	Lawrence Ogden
Joseph Jackson, Sr.	Ab Fite
Joseph Jackson, Jr.	Jake Shambarger
Amsey Garrett	Newt Morgan
Charley Eckert	George Hackett

Ask for a demonstration by, or further information from

Wadley Bros.

East Side Square.

PIMPLY? WELL, DON'T BE!

People Notice It. Drive Them Off with Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

A pimply face will not embarrass you much longer if you get a package of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The skin should begin to clear after you have taken the tablets a few nights.

Cleanse the blood, the bowels and the liver with Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the successful substitute for calomel; there's never any sickness or pain after taking them.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets do that which calomel does, and just as effectively, but their action is gentle and safe instead of severe and irritating.

No one who takes Olive Tablets is ever cursed with "a dark brown taste," a bad breath, a dull, listless, "no good" feeling, constipation, torpid liver, bad disposition or pimply face.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil; you will know them by their olive color.

Dr. Edwards spent years among patients afflicted with liver and bowel complaints, and Olive Tablets are the immensely effective result.

Take one or two nightly for a week. See how much better you feel and look. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

Paper White

Narcissus Bulbs

for growing in water or soil.

White, per dozen.....35c

Yellow, per doz.....50c

The Engelmann Greenhouses

Phones 17. 1001 S. Main

Don't Hinder Your Children's School Work

Many children in school are not doing good work simply because their eyes need attending to. You can't expect children to study well when their eyes are in poor condition.

There is no compulsory medical inspection of school children in the Nodaway county schools, and many may therefore drift along for several years and do only mediocre school work.

Don't take a chance by handicapping your children's future. We make no charge for examination; so let us test their eyes. We guarantee to fit their eyes and can demonstrate this before you are asked to buy. Neither will we recommend glasses when they are actually not needed.

H. L. Raines
JEWELER & OPTICIAN
110 W. 3RD ST. "JUST A STEP PAST MAIN."
MARYVILLE, MO.

PNEUMONIA
First call a physician. Then begin hot applications of—
Keep a Little Body-Guard in Your Home
VICK'S VAPORUB

One of These Days

ONE OF THESE DAYS YOUR PROPERTY WILL BE DIVIDED AMONG YOUR HEIRS.

YOU WILL NOT BE PRESENT WHEN THIS IS DONE.

YOU WILL HAVE NOTHING TO SAY ABOUT IT.

THE LAW WILL BE APPLIED IN A COLD BLOODED MANNER.

THE BEST THING YOU CAN DO IS TO MAKE A WILL WHILE IN GOOD HEALTH, AND PERMIT AN AUTHORIZED TRUST COMPANY TO ACT AS YOUR EXECUTOR OR TRUSTEE. THE FARMERS TRUST COMPANY WILL DO THIS.

Farmers Trust Co.

GEO. L. WILFLEY, Pres. S. H. KEMP, Cash. & Sec'y
W. C. PIERCE, Vice-Pres. A. K. FRANK, Ass't Sec'y
C. D. BELLOWS, Vice-Pres. H. D. SNYDER, Ass't Sec'y
GEO. R. ELLISON, Vice-Pres. & Counsel A. W. HOOVER, Attorney

EXECUTOR-TRUSTEE-ADMINISTRATOR

What Do You Know About Your Blood Supply?

Your ignorance may startle you.

Few people know of the many functions of the blood supply, and just how important it is that it be kept absolutely free from all impurities. The health of the entire body depends upon the condition of the blood. You are invited to write and obtain a booklet that gives you some invaluable information on this important subject. It tells how to keep the blood strong and free from the many impurities to which it is constantly subject.

It gives the history of S. S. S., the world's most successful blood remedy, which has been sold for more than fifty years by druggists everywhere. This book will be sent free to all who write to Swift Specific Co., Dept. A Atlanta, Ga.

WABASH

Winter Tourist Fare to

Mobile, Ala.	$40.07
Jacksonville, Fla.	50.32
Palm Beach, Fla.	68.82
Pensacola, Fla.	42.20
St. Augustine, Fla.	52.62
St. Petersburg, Fla.	61.92
New Orleans, La.	40.07
Pass Christian, Miss.	40.07
Charleston, S. C.	50.32

Corresponding low fares to many other points in the South and Southeast. Tickets on sale daily from October 1 to April 30, good returning to June 1, 1918. Liberal stop-over privileges.

Round trip fare to points in California, going one route, returning another, on sale daily with nine months return limit; one way via Portland at additional cost.

For Particulars as to Routes and Stop-over Privileges write or call on E. L. FERRITOR, Agent, Maryville Station.

H. C. SHIELDS, G. A., Pass. Dept., 311 South 14th St., Omaha
J. D. McNAMARA, Pass. T. Manager, St. Louis.

To the Ladies of Maryville, Missouri

Our lady representative will call at your home to show you what Calumet Baking Powder will do for you and why it is called the cook's best friend.

The demonstration and test she will make are interesting and instructive. The test is not a comparative test of the strength of different baking powders because the water glass test does not show the strength of baking powder that does not contain white of egg. The test will, however, show the superiority of Calumet in other respects and prove why it has solved all baking problems in millions of homes. Calumet is not only the best leavening agent possible to make, but it is sold at a popular price and is therefore an important factor in reducing the high cost of living.

Calumet is manufactured in the largest, finest and most sanitary baking powder plant in the world, by experts who make nothing but baking powder. Calumet received the highest awards for purity and efficiency at the world's greatest pure food expositions at Chicago in 1907, and at Paris, France, in 1912. Calumet contains only such ingredients as have been officially approved by the United States Food Authorities.

Calumet is guaranteed to be Pure in the Can and Pure in the Baking. Try Calumet once at our risk. Your money back without question if it isn't the best baking powder you ever used.

Calumet Baking Powder Co.
CHICAGO

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Futures.
Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City Live Stock.
Kansas City, Oct. 12. — CATTLE—Receipts, 4,500; nothing good.
HOGS—Receipts, 3,000; top, $18.60; bulk, $17.75@$18.30.
SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000.

Chicago Live Stock.
Chicago, Oct. 12.—CATTLE— Receipts, 9,000; market, 10c lower.
HOGS—Receipts, 10,000; market, 50c lower; top, $18.70.
SHEEP—Receipts, 10,000; market, 15c lower.

St. Joseph Live Stock.
St. Joseph, Oct. 12.—CATTLE —Receipts, 1,000; market, weak.
HOGS—Receipts, 2,500; market, 50c lower; top, $18.70.
SHEEP—Receipts, 1,500; market, weak.

Furnished daily by Speirs Produce company.

Butter fat, per lb	45c
Eggs, per dozen	32c
Hens, per lb	20c
Springs, per lb	20c
Hides, per lb	14c
Ducks, per lb	10c
Geese, per lb	8c
Old Roosters, per lb	10c

APPLES TOOK A TUMBLE.

But Not in Price—Just From a Farmer's Wagon Into the Street.

He was hauling a load of apples through town this morning—a big wagon loaded with nice red apples. The end gate came out as he turned the corner going south at the Balnum hotel. Unconscious of the path of fruit being distributed along the street he drove on until a noise that sounded suspiciously like a bunch of kids on a frolic caused him to stop. It took a long time to gather up the apples and load them back in the wagon, meantime innocent looking bystanders with suspicious bulges in pockets were remarking what good cider they would make.

Closed Successful Meeting.

Rev. O. E. Lockart, pastor of the South Methodist church at Guilford, closed a very successful revival meeting last night. Eighteen persons were converted. Rev. Lockart was assisted by Rev. T. M. Taylor of Fairfax.

A basket dinner was served last Sunday in the basement of the church and all-day services were held. The meeting lasted two weeks.

Lobster Sardines
Pickles Sausage
Oysters Spaghetti
Swiss Cheese
Goulash Raviola
Chile-Con-Carne

These make up the usual Dutch lunch — but what will you serve to drink?

For years the host and hostess have been asking themselves that same question—especially whenever the occasion happens to be one of those cozy little after-theatre or "in-between-times" parties. Now, there is a ready answer—

Bevo
A BEVERAGE

This distinctively new creation in soft drinks is sparkling—snappy—delicious. It is healthful with the wholesomeness of the choicest cereals — appetizing with the bouquet and agreeable bitter tang which only choice hops can impart. It is sure to "hit the spot"—sure to encounter no prejudices.

Bevo—the all-year-'round soft drink

CAUTION

Guard Against Substitutes

have the bottle opened in your presence, first seeing that the seal has not been broken, and that the crown top bears the Fox. Bevo is sold in bottles only — and is bottled exclusively by

ANHEUSER-BUSCH ST. LOUIS

You will find Bevo—
in pasteurized bottles, hermetically patent-crowned—at soda fountains, restaurants, department and drug stores, soda fountains, picnic grounds, baseball parks, dining cars, steamships and other places where refreshing beverages are sold.

L. G. UPSCHULTE
Dealer MARYVILLE, MO.
15L

Mrs. Conrad Reidlinger and daughter, Mrs. Bernie McGary of Clyde, were shopping in Maryville yesterday.

Hutchison H. Lyle of Colorado Springs is visiting relatives in Maryville and attending to business.

Library Tables

We have as complete a line of Library Tables as we have ever shown, and what is better, we can still make the old prices on them—

$6.50 to $25

This is fully 20 to 25 per cent under the present market

A 42-inch Solid Oak, Waxed Finish with magazine rack under each end, at $12.00

A 42-inch Solid Oak Table; 4-in. legs—a very massive table; fumed or waxed..... $12.00

A 36-inch Oak Table, fumed or waxed, at $8.00

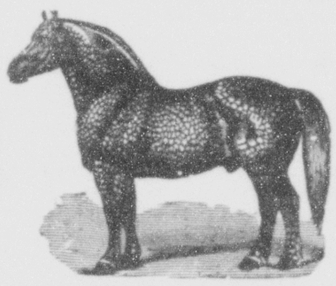
A 48-inch Oak Table, fumed or waxed, at $14.00

We have only described four tables in this advertisement. However, we have many others which you are invited to see.

Maryville Furniture Co.

MARYVILLE, MISSOURI
Undertaking, Embalmbing, Ambulance
J. E. Bailey, Mgr.

Wanted



100 Draft Horses weight 1300 to 1800, 5 to 10 years old
100 Draft Mares weight 1300 to 1800, 8 to 10 years old
100 Geldings, road bred, 15 1-4 hands, 4 to 9 years old
100 Southern Mares, good broke, 4 to 8 years old.
100 Mules, any size, big bone.

SHOW THEM TO ME —I HAVE NO AGENTS
READ DATES—BE ON TIME

I will positively be in

GUILFORD,	Wednesday, Oct. 17
ROSENDALE, Forenoon	Thursday, Oct. 18
BOLCKOW, Afternoon	Thursday, Oct. 18
PICKERING, Forenoon	Friday, Oct. 19
Hopkins, Afternoon	Friday, Oct. 19
MARYVILLE	EVERY SATURDAY

Jim Andy Ford

Byers Farm of 74 Acres Sold.

The Byers estate farm, joining Burlington Junction on the north, was sold Tuesday to R. H. (Doc) Back. There are 74 acres in the place and the consideration was $165 an acre. Possession will be given in the spring. Doc sold his place west of town a short time ago to John Martin. The sale was made by John E. Rhodes.—Burlington Junction Post.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

A. O. Mason is in Monroe county on business this week.

The change from green food to dry food seems to increase blackleg. The cost of Blacklegoids is reasonable and it is assurance against loss. Don't take chances on losing a $25 or $30 calf because of not using Blacklegoids. Koch Pharmacy. 12

Miss Kate Schenck went to Omaha this morning to spend the day.

Wanted--*50 Autos to Paint*

We Get the Place, Time and Room. All work absolutely guaranteed to be first class. Star Auto and Carriage Painting Co.—F. L. Bassett Manager with Arnett Decorating Co.—Phone 414.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

WANTS

THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

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Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Five 6-foot show cases, two 8-foot wall cases, one large Round Oak heating stove. F. P. Reuillard. P. S.—24-oz. Butter-Nut bread for 15c and 16-oz. Reuillard's Special Bread for 10c. 11-17

WANTED—Pasture for 30 head of yearling calves. Phone Farmers 36-18 12-15*

FOR SALE—No. 5 Oliver Typewriters, cheap, on monthly payments. J. B. Jones, 418 West Second St. x

SHOATS—25 or 30 head for sale at 18c per lb., if taken in next few days. In fine condition and will average about 65 lbs. No delivery. C. D. McKibban. 10-12

FOR SALE — Used upright piano, mahogany case, standard make; square piano, good condition, with self player and rolls. Entire outfit for $50, monthly payments. Landon Music Co. 12-18

FOR SALE — Jonathan apples, 6 miles south of town. Phone R. M. Evans, Arkoe. 10-16

FOR SALE—4 Poland-China boars $40 each. Roy DeBord, Farmers phone 23-17. 11-13*

FOR SALE—19 head of yearling steers. Farmers phone 36-18. 12-15*

FOR SALE—13 good steer calves. Roy Lippman, Hanamo IL. 12-15

BREEDING STOCK FOR SALE — Choice lot of February and March male pigs, and gilts of the same farrow. Write or call A. B. Dowden, Maryville, Mo., Farmers phone 1-13. 25tf.

FOR SALE—Corn crib and granary elevators on exhibit at our store after Saturday. W. W. Jones & Co. 12-15

FOR SALE—Nice young calf. Mrs. H. Edwards, 1119 East 4th. 12-15

FOR SALE—Jonathan, Gano and Ben Davis apples. Call Gordon Fite, Farmers phone 50-17. 12-15

WANTED

WANTED—To repair and recharge your storage batteries. Rental batteries for you car while yours is being repaired. Exchange your old batteries in on new ones. Willard Storage Battery Service Station, both phones. J. L. Fisher. 9tf.

WANTED—Married man to work on farm. Chas. Tabler, Far. 6-11; Han. 4236. 11-13*

WANTED—Apple pickers. Furnish transportation to and from orchard. Farmers phone 8-17. 10-12*

WANTED—Work on farm by young married man. Would consider running 160 or more acres by month; also shuck corn by bushels or month. Address K, care Democrat-Forum. 10-12*

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One 160-acre and one 200-acre farm, improved. See Allen Bros. 10-12

FOR RENT—Six room cottage with bath, light and water, four extra rooms in basement. Also five room flat, water and light, over Gabe Allen's store. S. H. Kemp. 10-12

FOR RENT—Modern residence on corner lot, 8 rooms, bath, oak finish downstairs, hot water, electric light, cement basement, garage and laundry room in basement, large closets and pantry, sleeping porch, and other conveniences. Mrs. G. A. Nash, Hanamo phone 10. 11-13

LOST

LOST—Child's crocheted robe. Return to Democrat-Forum office. 11-13*

LOST—Rubber overcoat, between the high school and court house. Leave at this office and get reward. 10-12*

Miss Alma Stamper, who has been visiting relatives in Des Moines, will return to her home in Maryville next Monday evening.

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THIS WOMAN TOLD TO CHOOSE

Between Operation and Death. Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Des Moines, Iowa. — "My husband says I would have been in my grave today had it not been for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I suffered from a serious female trouble and the doctors said I could not live one year without an operation. My husband objected to the operation and got me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I soon commenced to get better and am now well and able to do my own housework. I can recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to any woman as a wonderful health restorer."—Mrs. BLANCHE JEFFERSON, 703 Lyon St., Des Moines.

This famous remedy, the medicinal ingredients of which are derived from highly prized roots and herbs, has for forty years proved its value in such cases. Women everywhere bear willing testimony to the wonderful virtue of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegtable Compound

MISCELLANEOUS

I HAVE BEGUN dressmaking again and will be pleased to meet my friends. Mrs. Belle Hughes, 504 North Buchanan. 11-13*

PLUMBING—We make a specialty of installing modern plumbing in old houses and remodeling old plumbing; estimates free. Standard Plumbing Co., Hanamo 46.

CHANCE TO MAKE EXTRA MONEY—You can add $25.00 to $50.00 a month to your income in your spare time. Our money-saving plan is a winner for either men of women. We furnish outfit free and teach you how to use it. Send postal at once for "Particulars of the Money-Making Plan." Act promptly before the vacancy is filled in your territory. Address Publisher, Box 155, N. Times Square Station, New York City.

Executor's Sale

Matthew Whiteford Estate

The undersigned Executors of the estate of the late Matthew Whiteford, will sell at Public Auction, in the grove at the home place, one-half mile south of Guilford, Mo., on

Wednesday, October 17

The Following decribed property, to-wit—

THREE HUNDRED SEVENTY-TWO HEAD STOCK—This is all good home grown stuff, the kind that will do you good.

THIRTY-SIX HEAD OF COWS—These cows are well bred, have raised calves this year and are pasture bred now.

Eighteen head of red and roan yearling heifers; thirty-two head of steer and heifer calves; ninety-four head of two-year-old steers; two Short Horn bulls.

SIXTY-FOUR HEAD OF HOGS—These hogs range from brood sows to forty pound shoats. A lot of good feeding hogs among them.

Two hundred acres of CORN in field to be husked and cribbed by tenants. About eighty tons of good HAY, most of which is baled.

IMPLEMENTS—One Deering grain binder. A full line of farming implements and tools, harness, carriage, blacksmith tools, and a line of small stuff too numerous to mention.

Sale will begin at Ten o'clock. Come early.

Abundant lunch will be served by the Ladies' Circle of the M. E. church, South of Guilford.

True D. Parr, Carl Wray, Executors

Auctioneers—
Col. W. D. Gibson, King City. F. E. Williams, Hamilton, Mo.

Closing Out Public Sale

Having sold my farm, I will sell at my home, 4 miles northwest of Maryville, 4 miles southeast of Wilcox, and ¼ mile west of Herron school house, on

Friday, October 19, 1917

Beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described property:

14 HEAD OF HORSES AND MARES—Consisting of two mares, smooth mouth, one bred to Willhoyte's jack and one to Willhoyte's horse; two 4-year-old geldings, broke; two 3-year-old geldings, broke; two 2-year-old fillies; one 2-year-old gelding; one horse, smooth mouth; one driving mare, 8 years old, broke in all harness and saddle; two weanling mules; one weanling colt. All this young stuff is in good condition.

29 HEAD OF CATTLE—Consisting of seven cows giving milk, all young; two 2-year-old heifers with calf at foot; two 2-year-old heifers, to freshen soon; eight yearling heifers; six spring calves; one Shorthorn bull, 3 years old.

45 HEAD OF HOGS—Consisting of five Duroc sows, four with pigs at side; these sows are pedigreed from the O. T. Culver herd; balance spring pigs ranging in weight from 100 to 140 pounds.

GRAIN AND FEED—50 acres of corn to be cribbed and sold by the bushel. This is good corn. Will be sold in lots to suit purchaser. Fifteen tons of timothy hay in barn. One stack of wild hay. 400 bushels of oats.

FARM IMPLEMENTS—Consisting of one Mitchell wagon 3¼ axle, nearly new; one old wagon; one carriage in good condition; one single buggy; one open buggy; 3 sulky plows, 16-inch; one Emerson plow nearly new; two riding cultivators, one Moline one Oliver; one walking cultivator; one sod breaker; one 16-18 disc; mower; hay racks; hog racks; bull rake; 5-disc wheat drill; wheel scraper; slip scraper; stalk cutter; 3-section harrow; bob sled; lister; corn planter; two sets work harness; set buggy harness; single harness; saddle; two steel water tanks; Queen, 160-egg incubator, nearly new; other articles.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—Consisting of one hard coal heater; one soft coal heater; cook stove; one Simmons self-balancing cream separator in good condition; two 30-gallon iron kettles, and other numerous articles.

About 200 hedge posts, good size and quality.

LUNCH BY HERRON HOMEMAKING CIRCLE.

TERMS:—$10 and under, cash; on all sums over this amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months will be given, purchaser to give bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

R. P. HOSMER, Auct.
JOS. JACKSON, Clerk.

I. E. TEBOW